

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Philippe SANSONETTI et al.

Serial No.: 08/466,698

Filed: June 6, 1995

For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING  
TRANSFORMED SHIGELLA  
(AS AMENDED)

Group Art Unit: 1645

Examiner: Mark Navarro

**BOX AFTER FINAL**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**REQUEST FOR EXAMINATION AFTER FINAL  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a)**

Applicants hereby request the above-identified application be examined according to the procedures set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a). This application meets the criteria set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) since it has an actual filing date of June 6, 1995, and an effective filing date of March 21, 1990, and it is accompanied by a fee of \$760.00 as required by § 1.17(r).

Applicants hereby request that the finality of the Office Action be withdrawn and that the Amendment and Response to Paper No. 26 filed January 20, 1999, and the following amendments and remarks be entered and considered by the Examiner.

Please amend the application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the following claims:

Claim 17 line 3, after "claim 1", insert ---.

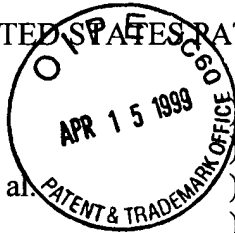
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